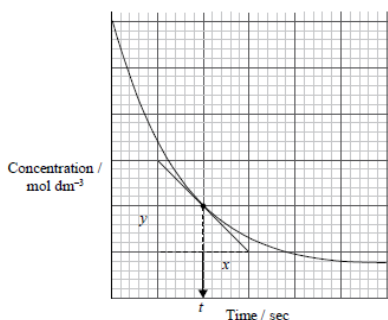


Topic 07 SL Exam – Equilibrium/Kinetics/Energetics MS

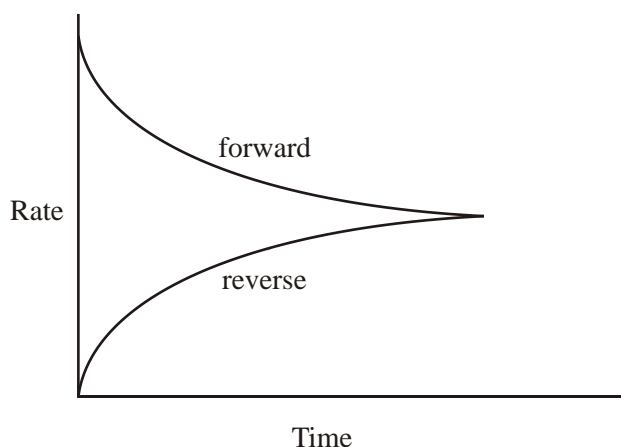
1. D
2. B
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4. C
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11. C
12. C
13. B
14. B
15. B
16. C
17. A
18. B
19. B
20. D

21. (a) (i) $K_c = [\text{SO}_2\text{Cl}_2] / ([\text{Cl}_2][\text{SO}_2])$ **[1]**
Ignore state symbols.
Square brackets [] required for the equilibrium expression.
- (ii) value of K_c increases;
 $[\text{SO}_2\text{Cl}_2]$ increases;
 decrease in temperature favors (forward) reaction which is exothermic; **[3]**
Do not allow ECF.
- (iv) no effect on the value of K_c / depends only on temperature;
 $[\text{SO}_2\text{Cl}_2]$ decreases;
 increase in volume favors the reverse reaction which has more gaseous moles; **[3]**
Do not allow ECF.
- (v) no effect;
 Catalyst increases the rate of forward and reverse reactions (equally) / catalyst decreases activation energies (equally); **[2]**
- (b) labeled axes (including appropriate units);
 correctly drawn curve;
 correctly drawn tangent;
 rate equal to slope/gradient of tangent (at given time) / rate = (y/x) at time t; **[4]**
[3 max] for straight line graph or graph showing product formation.



- (c) (i) increases rate of reaction;
 molecules (of H_2O_2) collide more frequently / more collisions per unit time;
No ECF here. [2]
- (ii) no effect / (solution) remains unchanged;
 solid NaI is not reacting / aqueous solution of NaI is reacting / surface area of NaI is not relevant in preparing the solution / OWTTE; **[2]**
- (d) kinetic energy/speed of reacting molecules increases;
 frequency of collisions increases per unit time;
 greater proportion of molecules have energy greater than activation energy/ E_a ; **[3 max]**
Accept more energetic collisions.

22. (a)



two curves – one labeled “forward” starting up high up y-axis and one labeled “reverse” starting from zero;
curves merge and become horizontal;

No penalty for failing to label axes.

forward reaction:

highest concentration, thus rate high to begin with;
as reaction proceeds, concentrations decrease, so does rate;

reverse reaction:

zero rate initially/at $t = 0$ (since no products present);
rate increases as concentration of products increases;
equilibrium established when rate of forward reaction = rate of reverse reaction;

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- (b) (reaction is) endothermic;
 K_c increases with (increasing) temperature;
forward reaction favoured/heat used up/OWTTE;

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[10]

23.
$$k_c = \frac{[\text{H}_2]^3[\text{CO}]}{[\text{CH}_4][\text{H}_2\text{O}]};$$

[1]

24. (c) color change from red-brown to darker red-brown of Br_2 /red-brown color
intensifies/OWTTE;
equilibrium position shifts to the right/products;
to consume H^+ ;

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[3]

25. (iii) What Le Chatelier Predicts are the ideal conditions for max yield

Increasing the pressure: [2]

Yield increases/equilibrium moves to the right/more ammonia;
4 gas molecules \rightarrow 2/decrease in volume/fewer gas molecules
on right hand side;

Increasing the temperature: [2]

Yield decreases/equilibrium moves to the left/less ammonia;
Exothermic reaction/OWTTE;

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The conditions used in industry:

Higher temperature because increases rate; [1]

Lower pressure because is less expensive/lower cost of operating at low pressure/reinforced pipes
not needed; [1]

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Do not award a mark just for the word “compromise”.

[6]